



## A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE

RELATING TO WIND MACHINES.

BE IT ORDAINED by the People of the City and County of Honolulu:

SECTION 1. Findings and Purpose. The Council finds that large, utility-scale wind machines have the potential to adversely affect view planes and community character. The purpose of this ordinance is to amend the permitting requirements for wind machines.

SECTION 2. Chapter 21, Table 21-3 ("Master Use Table"), Revised Ordinances of Honolulu 1990, as amended, is amended by amending the "Wind machines" use in the Utilities and Communications category to read as follows:

**"TABLE 21-3  
MASTER USE TABLE**

In the event of any conflict between the text of this Chapter and the following table, the text of the Chapter shall control. The following table is not intended to cover the Waikiki Special District; please refer to Table 21-9.6(A).

**KEY:** Ac = Special accessory use subject to standards in Article 5  
Cm = Conditional Use Permit-minor subject to standards in Article 5; no public hearing required (see Article 2 for exceptions)  
C = Conditional Use Permit-major subject to standards in Article 5; public hearing required  
P = Permitted Use  
P/c = Permitted use subject to standards in Article 5  
PR = Plan Review Use  
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ZONING DISTRICTS																					
USES (Note: Certain uses are defined in Article 10.)	P-2	AG-1	AG-2	Country	R-20, R-10	R-7.5, R-5, R-3.5	A-1	A-2	A-3	AMX-1	AMX-2	AMX-3	Resort	B-1	B-2	BMX-3	BMX-4	I-1	I-2	I-3	IMX-1
UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS																					
Wind machines Up to 100 kW		Cm Ac	Cm Ac	Cm Ac	Cm	Cm								Cm	Cm			Cm	Cm		Cm
Wind machines Over 100 kW		C	C	C																	



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SECTION 3. Chapter 21, Section 21-5.700 ("Wind machines"), Revised Ordinances Honolulu 1990, is amended by amending subsection (c) to read as follows:

"(c) In the agricultural and country zoning districts, accessory wind machines shall have a rated capacity of no more than 100 kilowatts. Wind machines with a rated capacity of more than 100 kilowatts shall not be deemed accessory to other uses and require a conditional use permit [(minor)] (major)."

SECTION 4. In Section 2 and 3 of this Ordinance, new ordinance material is underscored and ordinance material to be deleted is bracketed. When revising, compiling or printing this ordinance for inclusion in the Revised Ordinances of Honolulu, the revisor of ordinances need not include the brackets, the bracketed material, or the underscoring.



**CITY COUNCIL**  
CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU  
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SECTION 5. This ordinance takes effect upon its approval.

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DATE OF INTRODUCTION:

**MAY 22 2017**

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Honolulu, Hawaii

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Councilmembers

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

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Deputy Corporation Counsel

APPROVED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

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KIRK CALDWELL, Mayor  
City and County of Honolulu